GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

ELECTIONS – General Elections to the House of People and Andhra Pradesh Legislature Assembly - Sanction of Special Casual Leave to the Presiding Officers and Assistant Presiding Officers on the next day of poll – Orders - Issued.

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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (ELECTIONS.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.833 Dated:10-04-2019

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.119, General Administration(Election-B) Department, dated:25.4.2014.
2. Representation of Federation of Andhra Pradesh Teacher's Organization, Dt.08.04.2019

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ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, it has been represented that the Presiding Officers and Assistant Presiding Officers of a polling booth have to hand over the Polled Ballot Boxes/EVMs & all other material at appropriate reception centers in the mid night of the poll day and they are not able to reach their home upto 1.00 am or 2.00 am and it has been requested to treat 12.04.2019 as Journey Day and to arrange to issue necessary orders in the matter.

2. Government, after careful examination of the matter, have decided to accept the said request.

3. Accordingly, all the leave sanctioning authorities of the personnel, who have been drafted as Presiding Officers and Assistant Presiding Officers are, hereby directed to grant Special Casual Leave on the next day of poll to their staff members, whose services have been utilized as Presiding Officers and Assistant Presiding Officers during the General Elections to the House of People and Andhra Pradesh Legislature Assembly on production of a leave letter together with the Election duty Certificate issued by the concerned Returning Officer at reception centre for the said purpose.

4. All the District Election Officers are requested to direct all the Returning Officers to issue an "Election Duty Certificate" in the format appended to this order, to all the Presiding Officers and Assistant Presiding Officers, who have actually attended the duty in Polling Station, at the reception centre after handing over all the relevant election material so as to enable them to avail the said Special Casual Leave. The reserve Presiding Officers and Assistant Presiding Officers are not entitled for this facility.

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5. All the Departments of Secretariat / Heads of Departments / District Election Officers are requested to communicate these instructions to all concerned, particularly, the leave sanctioning authorities of the Presiding Officers and Assistant Presiding Officers from which Department/ Office they have been drafted for the election duty, for taking further action.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

L.V. SUBRAHMANYAM
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To,
All the Collectors et District Election Officers.
Copy to:
The Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, Hyderabad
All Spl. Chief Secretaries/Prl. Secretaries/Secretaries to Govt., (with a request to communicate the instructions to all Heads of Departments/Subordinate offices under their control)
All Departments of Secretariat (with a request to communicate these instructions to all Heads of Departments/Subordinate offices under their control)
The Secretary, AP Public Service Commission, 2nd Floor, MG Road ,Opp Indira Gandhi Municipal Stadium ,New R&B Building, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh 520010
All the Returning Officers in the State (both Parliament & Assembly) through the District Election Officer concerned.
The Commissioner, Information & Public Relations, AP, 2nd floor, NTR Administrative Block, Pandit Nehru Bus Stand, Vijayawada, Krishna District, Andhra Pradesh
The Accountant General, AP, H.No.12-52, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh 521108
The Registrar, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Nelapadu, Andhra Pradesh 522237
The Registrar, AP Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad
The Secretary, Election Commission of India, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashok Road, New Delhi The Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India, New Delhi
The Reserve Bank of India, Hyderabad
The General Administration (Pol.A) Department
The PS to CS to Govt of AP
All Officers a Sections in Gen, Admn(Elec.) Dept.
CEO Website
SF/SCs

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SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE

(G.O.Ms.No.833, G.A.(Elec.A) Dept., dated:10-04-2019)

Election Duty Certificate for availing, Special Casual Leave on the next day of Poll

This is to certify that Sri/Smt/Kum.---------- S/o working as in the Office of ---------- has been drafted for election duty as Presiding Officer / Assistant Presiding Officer during the election held for Parliamentary / Assembly Constituency on---------- and he / she has attended the said duty at the Polling Station No.---------- . He / She is entitled to avail the Special Casual Leave on the next day of Poll i.e. on ---------- under the provisions of G.O.Ms.No.833, GA(Elec.A) Dept., Dt:10-04-2019.

Returning Officer
(Signature/Facsimile and seal)

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